

S. P. Miller
3/25/04



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re application of

SCARPA et al

Serial No. 09/394,289

Filed: 09/10/99

) Examiner: KIM, C.

)

)

)

)

)

Art Unit: 3752

Docket No.: N800/ST-108

#27/E

Title: PORTABLE CONVERGENT SPRAY GUN CAPABLE OF BEING HAND-HELD

Commissioner of Patents & Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT FOR RCE APPLICATION FILED AFTER DECISION
ON APPEAL

RECEIVED
03 APR -8 AM 50
BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS
AND INTERFERENCES

Dear Sir:

This preliminary amendment is intended to cure the defect noted by the Examiner and affirmed by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences and is submitted as part of the RCE application being filed herewith. Please amend the above-captioned application as follows:

RECEIVED

APR 04 2003

TECHNOLOGY CENTER R3700